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RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT AND SUBMISSION OF
SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

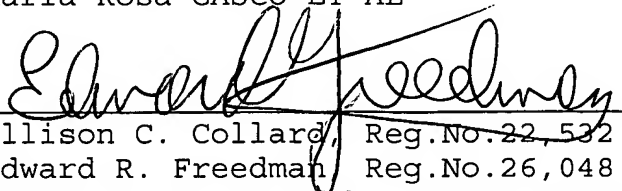
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment
(37 CFR 1.121) dated November 14, 2005, submitted herewith is a
Supplemental Preliminary Amendment in the above-referenced patent
application, which overcomes the objection and complies with the
rules of practice for Amendments. Therefore, each portion of the
Amendment begins on its own separate page.

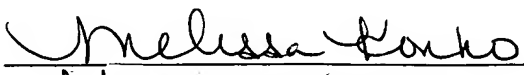
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Dear Sir:

Preliminary to the initial Office Action, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this
paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of
claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.